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Mr. Keith Stapley  
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RE: Donnie Mack Sellers v. Ravalli County Sheriff Chris Hoffman, et al;  
CV-07-126-M-DWM (U.S. District Court, Missoula Division)

Dear Keith:

Please find enclosed the following original documents: a Notice Of Lawsuit And Request For Waiver Of Service Of Summons, A Waiver, a Complaint, and an Order And Findings And Findings And Recommendations Of United States Magistrate Judge, an Objection To Findings, an Order by Judge Molloy, an Order, and an Order To Serve Complaint. My office received these documents on July 17, 2008.

As you can see, the above-referenced documents were generated by a frivolous Complaint filed by one Donnie Mack Sellers in Federal District Court. Mr. Sellers remains an inmate in the Ravalli County Detention Center facing various felony charges. The Complaint names numerous individuals connected with the prosecution of Mr. Sellers including the presiding judge, prosecutor and public defender.

Like all pro se complaints it has now been filtered through a screening process and only four defendants remain. However, as you can see in the Order To Serve Complaint it will be necessary for these defendants to respond. They are Sheriff Hoffman and detention officers Leete, Powell and Quirk.

This is a request for a defense of the case and insurance coverage. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if you need further information.

Sincerely,

  
George H. Corn

cc: Sheriff Hoffman (w/o enclosures)  
Detention Officer Scott Leete (w/o enclosures)  
Detention Officer Jim Quirk (w/o enclosures)  
Detention Officer Cathy Powell (w/o enclosures)  
Ravalli County Commissioners (w/o enclosures)  
Karen S. Mahar, Deputy (w/o enclosures)

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